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MY ENEMY,
MY FRIEND,
**SONIC vs.
MONKEY KHAN!**



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PART TWO: IRON KHAN

THE STORY SO FAR: DOCTOR EGGMAN HAS LOST HIS MIND! NOW THE IRON QUEEN RULES THE EGGMAN EMPIRE WITH HER FOUR NINJA CLANS! MONKEY KHAN HAS COME TO HELP, BUT HAS FALLEN UNDER THE CONTROL OF THE IRON QUEEN'S TECHNOMAGIC!

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KEN!
LISTEN TO
ME! YOU
HAVE TO
FIGHT HER
CONTROL!

I AM THE
DIVINE WEAPON
OF THE IRON
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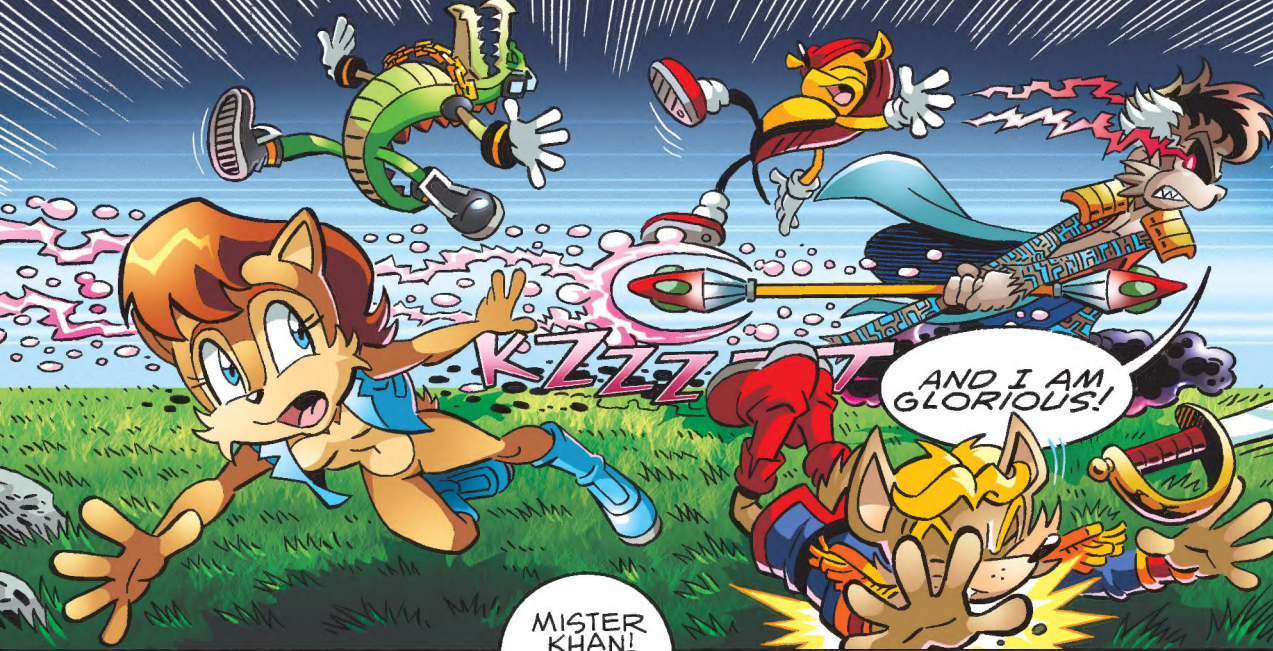
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Mind-Controlled Hero

SONIC THE HEDGEHOG
Hero of Mobius

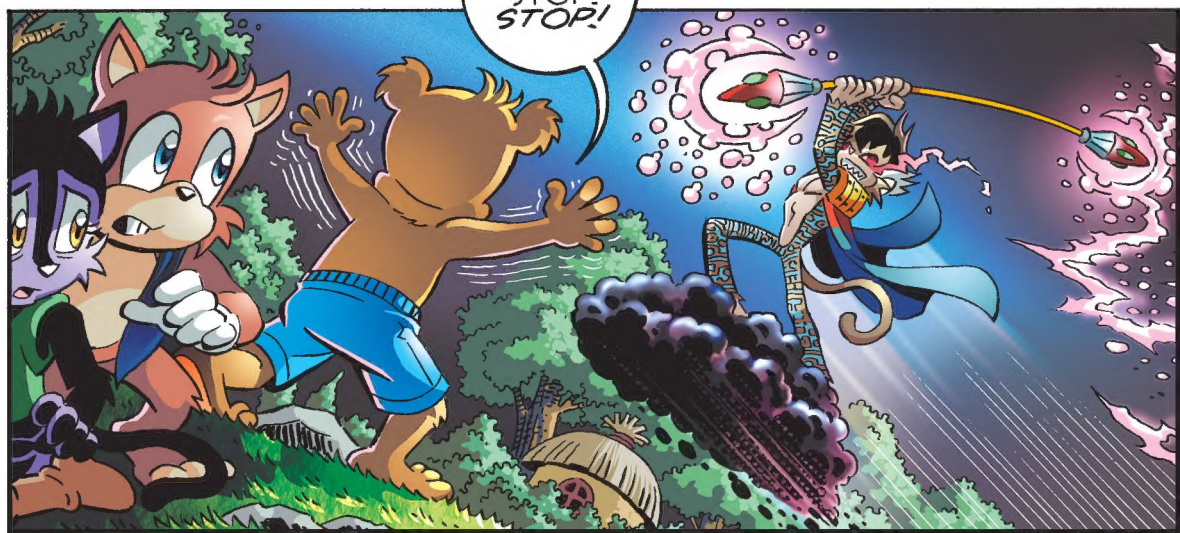
REGINA FERRUM
The Iron Queen

RORY, SNAGGLE
& SASHA Orphans

SNIVELY ROBOTNIK
Eggman's Nephew



MISTER KHAN!
STOP!
STOP!



WHY DOES IT FEEL
LIKE ALL I'M DOING
TODAY IS SNATCHING
PEOPLE UP AND
CARRYING THEM
AROUND?

SONIC!
IS BUNNIE
...?

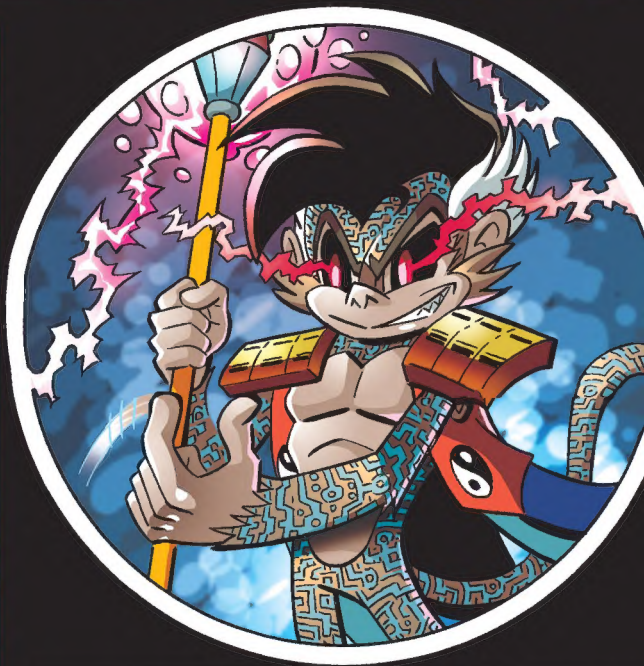
RESTING
AT
FREEDOM
HQ...

...SAFE AND
SOUND.





SNIVELY TOOK HIS POWER RING CROWN AND LEFT HIM CRONE. THE IRON QUEEN USED THE SAME TECHNOMAGIC SHE USED ON BUNNIE TO TAKE CONTROL OF HIM.



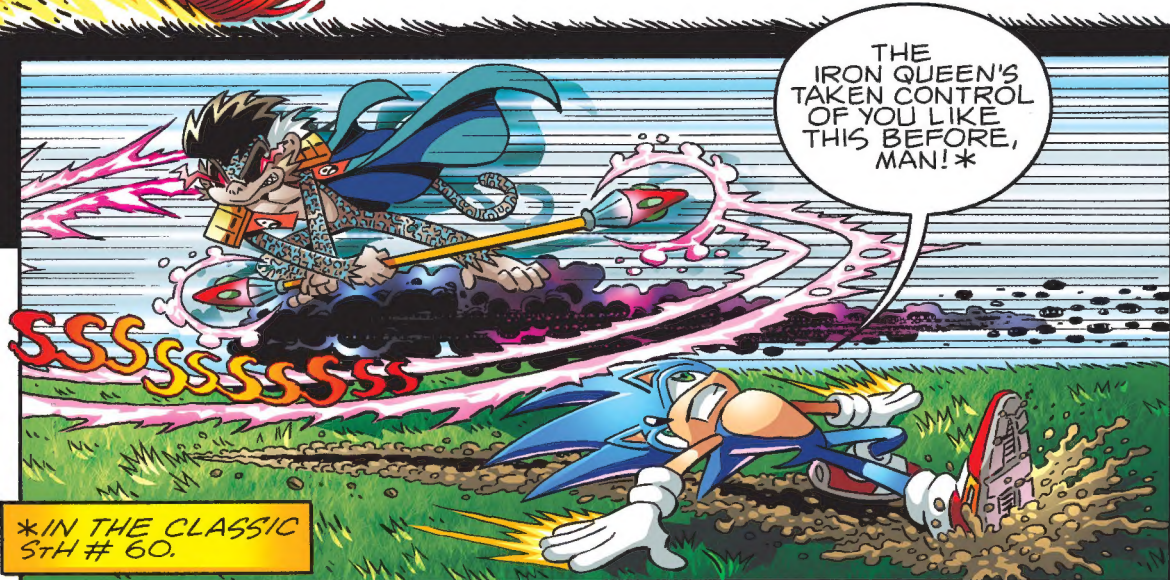
SO HE NEEDS TO BE CONTAINED.

GOT IT.

THIS SHOULD BE FUN!

DON'T ...DON'T HURT HIM!





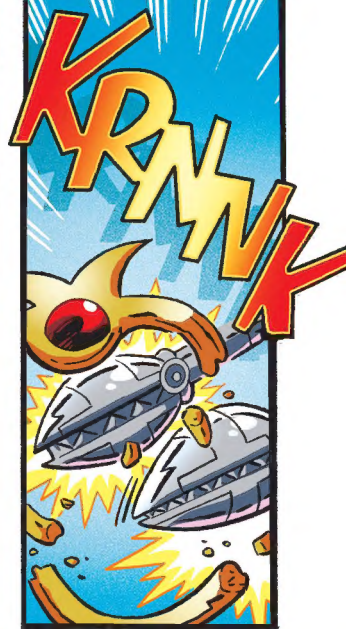


YOU'RE WASTING YOUR TIME, DEARIE! HIS CYBERNETICS ARE TOO EXTENSIVE! MY CONTROL IS ABSOLUTE!

THIS POWER RING MAY HAVE OFFERED SOME PROTECTION AS HIS CROWN...

...BUT NOW IT'S GONE.

AWW, TOO BAD.

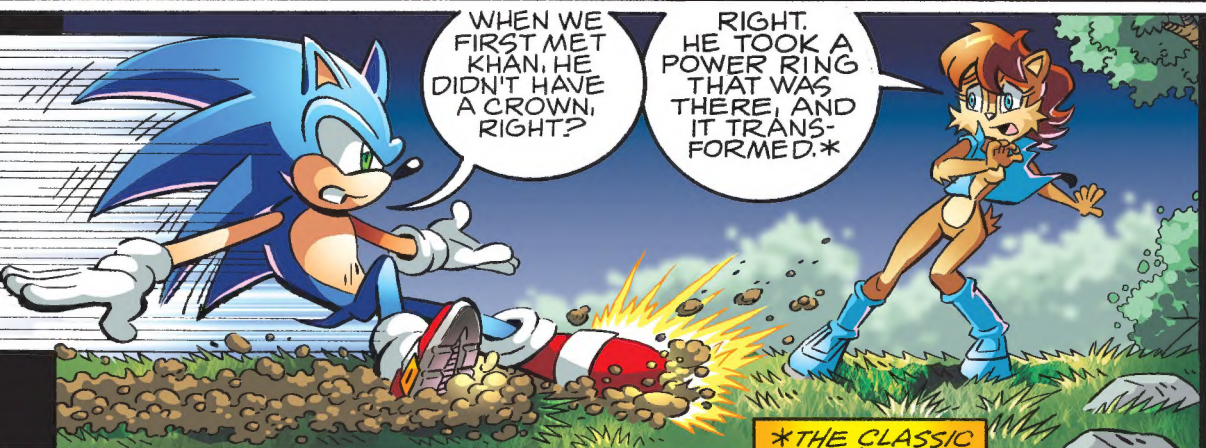


MY LITTLE MONKEY PAWN WILL DESTROY YOUR FREEDOM FIGHTERS JUST LIKE HE DID IN THE DRAGON KINGDOM! AND THEN YOUR CITY WILL BURN!

MREE-
HEE-
HEE-
HEE!



SO THAT'S THE GAME YOU LIKE TO PLAY...! THANKS FOR GIVING ME A PLAN, THOUGH.



WHEN WE FIRST MET KHAN, HE DIDN'T HAVE A CROWN, RIGHT?

RIGHT. HE TOOK A POWER RING THAT WAS THERE, AND IT TRANSFORMED.*

*THE CLASSIC STH # 55.



PERFECT! STALL HIM WHILE I SWING BY THE LAKE OF RINGS, AND --YOW!

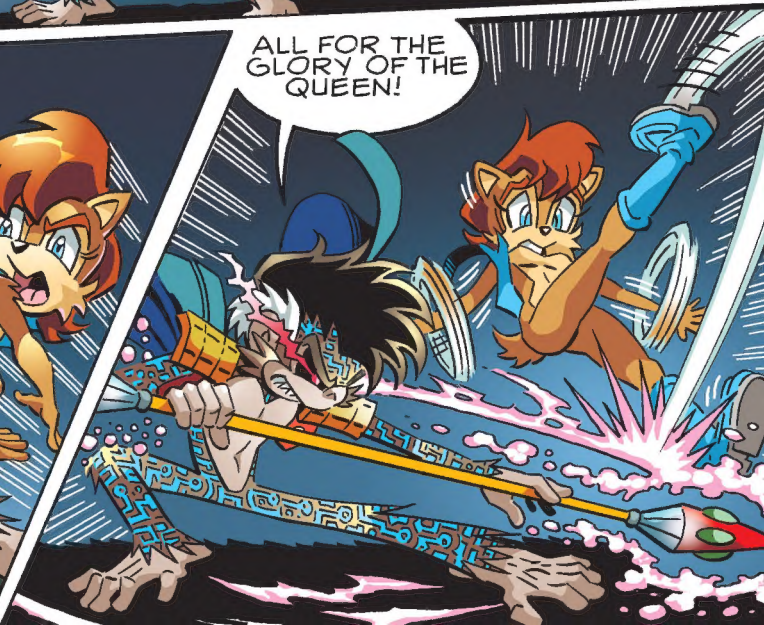
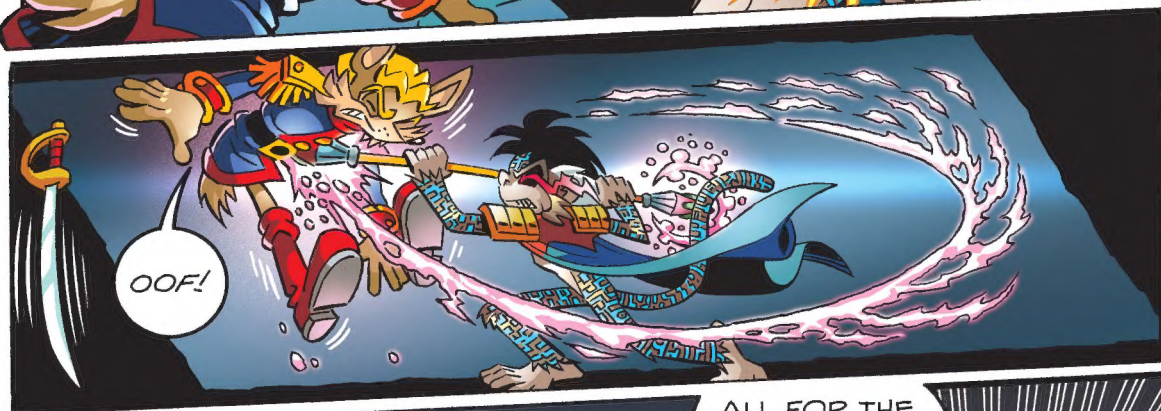
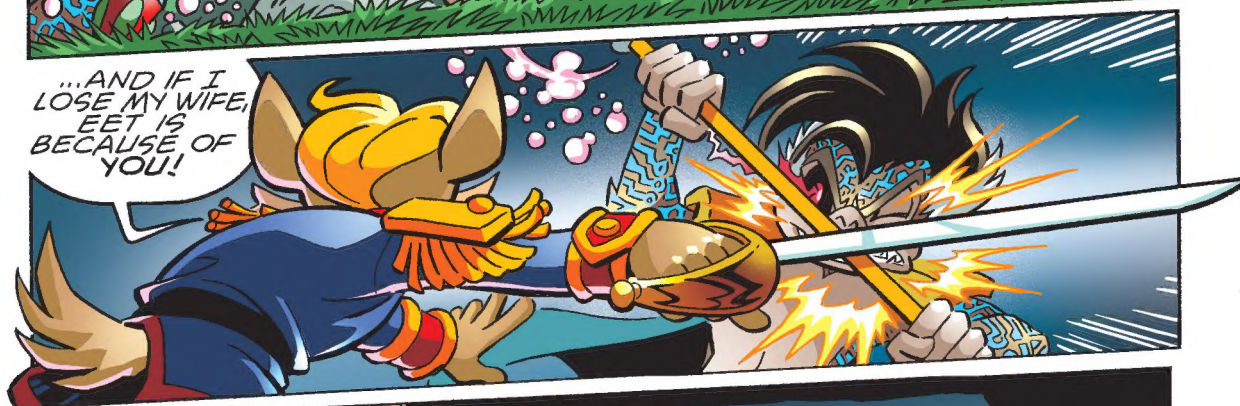
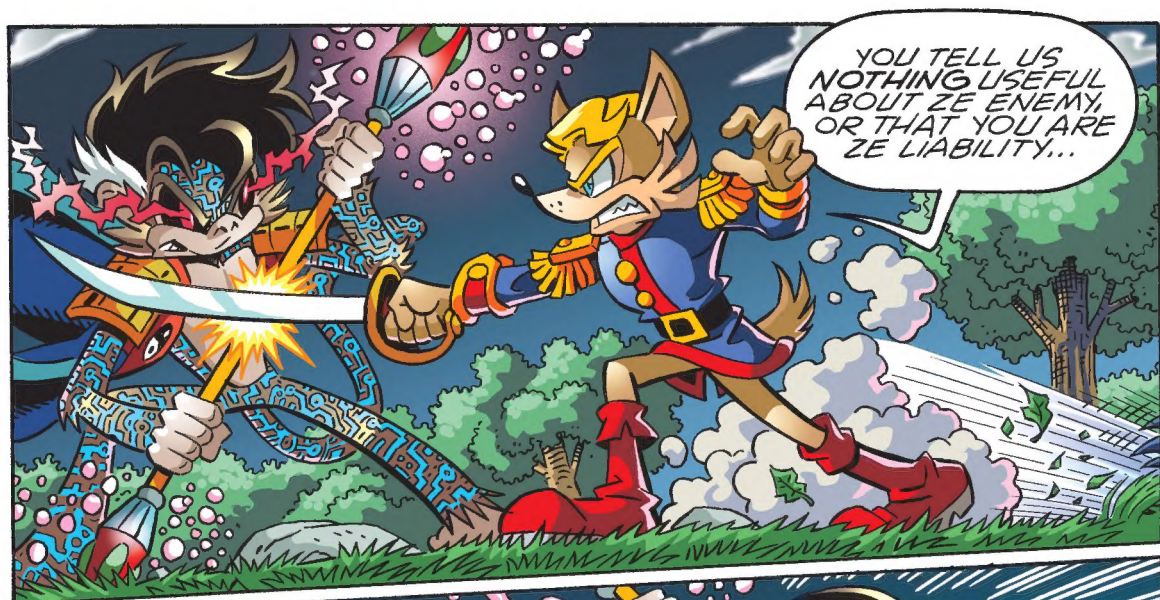
LOOK OUT!


CLANG



I AM SUGGESTING YOU ARE GETTING ZE MOVE ON, THEN!

WOW, 'TWAN. I'M ON MY WAY.





HA! GOTCHA!
I TOLD 'SU THE
PRINCESS WAS
RIGHT! WE DON'T
NEED HER!

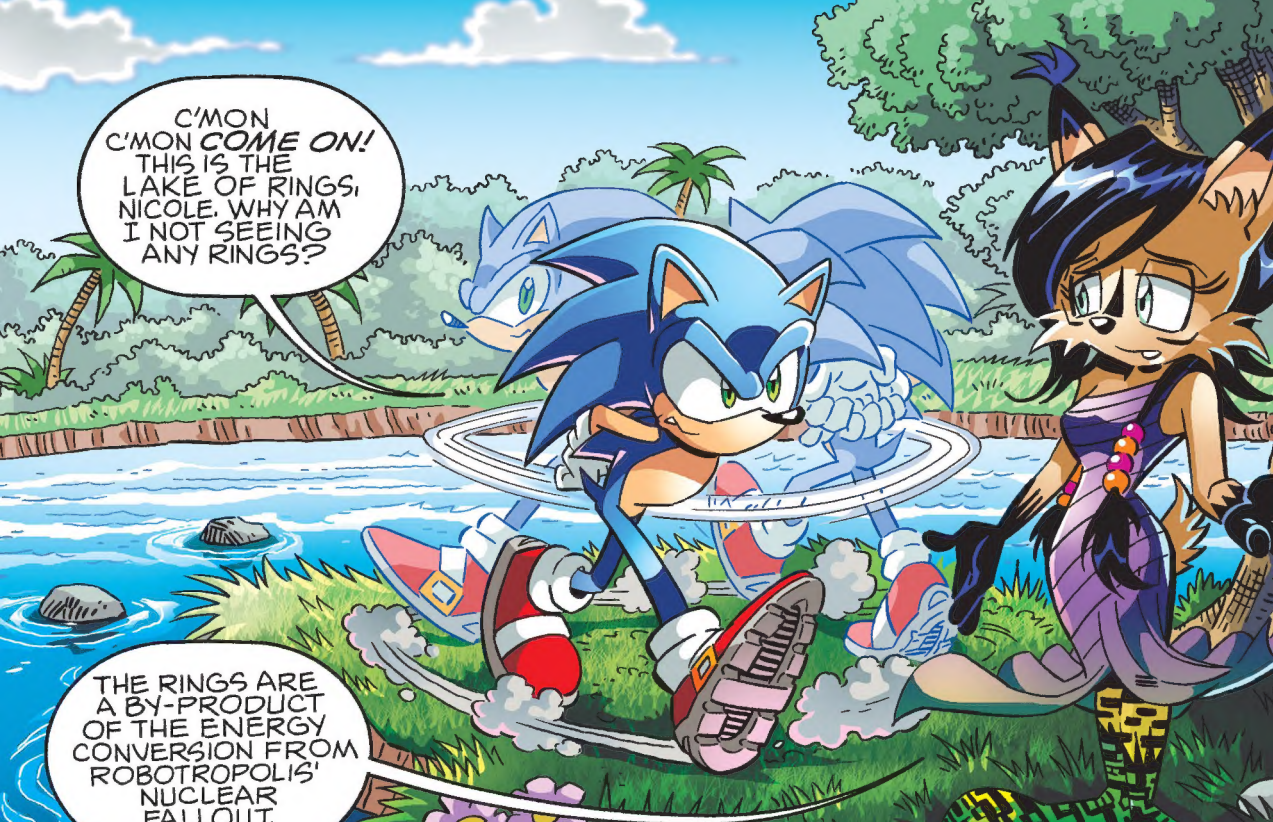
THEN
AGAIN
...?

RRRGH!
WHY DON'T YOU
SLOW DOWN?!
IT'S A CLOUD,
FOR CRYIN'
OUT LOUD!

SORRY,
FRIEND, BUT
YOU'RE NOT
LEAVING ME
A CHOICE.

"TUMULTUOUS
THUNDERCLAP
OF THE
ENRAGED!"

UH-OH...



C'MON
C'MON COME ON!
THIS IS THE
LAKE OF RINGS,
NICOLE. WHY AM
I NOT SEEING
ANY RINGS?

THE RINGS ARE
A BY-PRODUCT
OF THE ENERGY
CONVERSION FROM
ROBOTROPOLIS'
NUCLEAR
FALLOUT.

MEANING
...?

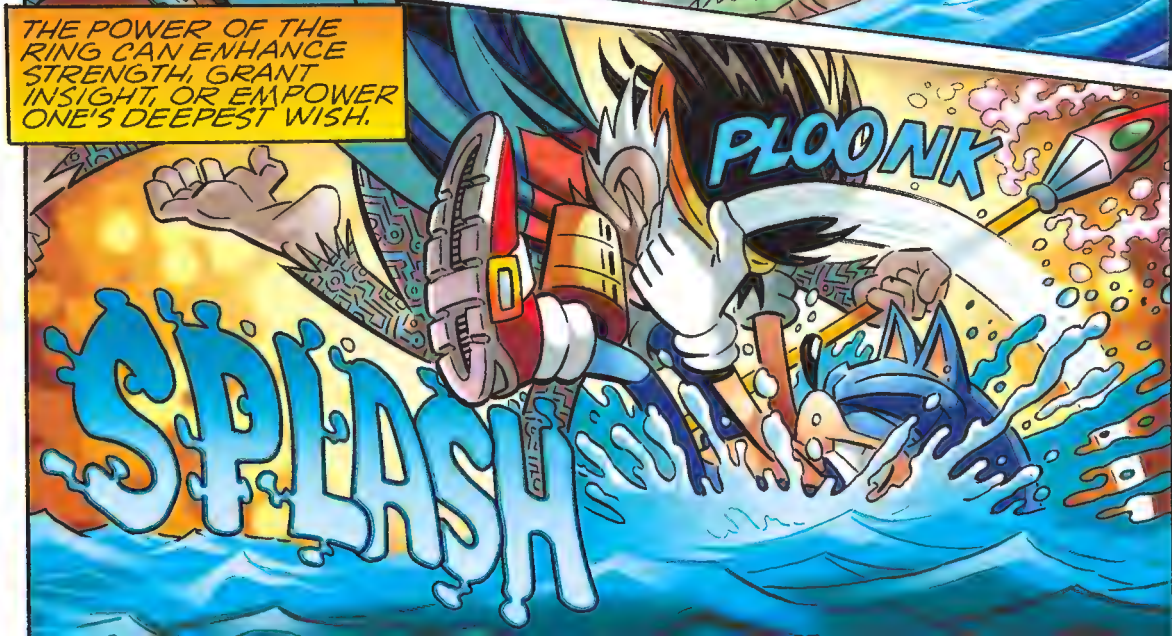
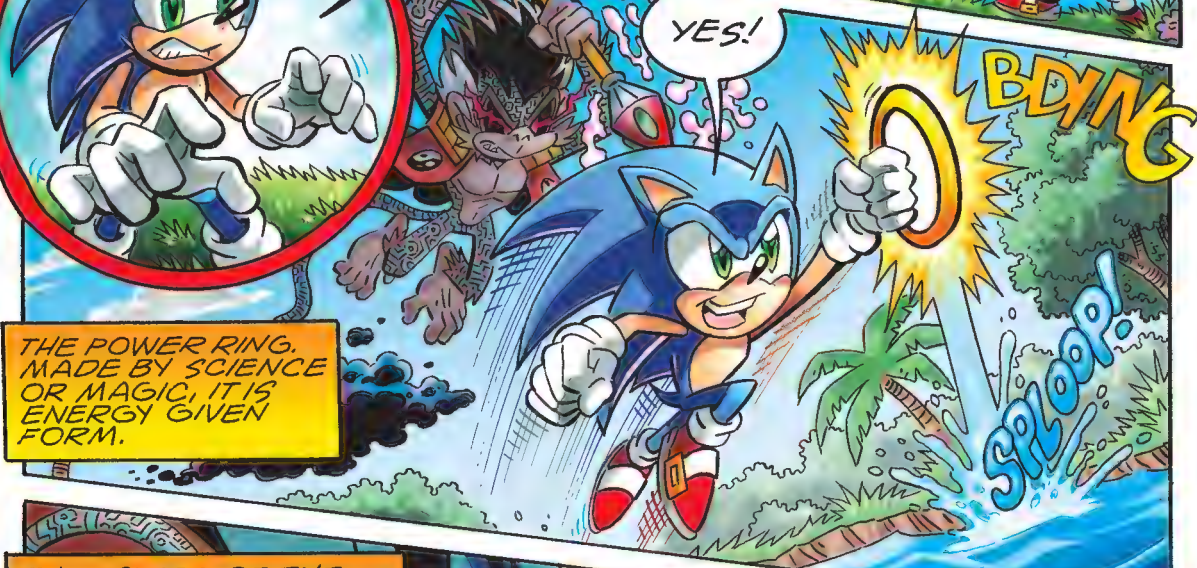
IT
TAKES
TIME.

A LOT OF
TIME, AND THERE'S
ALREADY A LOT OF
STRANGE DISTORTION
IN MY NETWORK
RIGHT NOW...

I'LL
RE-ROUTE
SOME
POWER.

THANK
YOU!

KRA-KOOM!



IN THIS CASE,
MONKEY KHAN
NEEDS ALL
THREE.

...ARE
YOU BACK
WITH US,
M.K.?

THIS IS WHY YOU
WERE SO ANGRY
WHEN YOU SAW US
CELEBRATING.

THIS IS
WHY YOU
SAID...

...not
really...

...THERE WERE NO
FREEDOM FIGHTERS
TO CONTACT IN THE
DRAGON KINGDOM.

Yes. It's
all my
fault.

THIS IS WHY YOU
GOT ALL BENT
OUT OF SHAPE
WHEN I RAGGED
ON YOU ABOUT
BEING "KING."

MREE-HEE-
HEE-HEE!
THAT'S
THAT,
THEN!

THAT'S
IT?
WE'RE
PULLING
OUT?

THEY KNOW NOT TO
CHALLENGE ME AND
ALL THEIR FAITH IN
MONKEY FUZZ IS
SHATTERED.
NOW...LET'S
GO HOME.

MMM
...YES,
DEAR.



I--I THOUGHT I COULD CONTROL MYSELF WITH MY POWER RING CROWN.

I GOT ANGRY--
AGAIN--
--AND...

...LOST MY FOCUS.

SHE RELEASED ME AFTER THE FREEDOM FIGHTERS WERE GONE, JUST TO MESS WITH ME! I TRIED FIGHTING ON MY OWN, I REALLY DID...



BUT I'M WEAK. I CAN'T DO IT ALONE... CAN'T BE ALONE... LIKE THAT. IT'S LIKE BEING BACK IN THE VAULT.*

*WHERE HE WAS TRAPPED FOR YEARS.
(5TH # 55)

SO YOU CHOOSE NOW TO BE TELLING US?! NOW ZAT MY WIFE IS NEARLY LOST. DID YOU NOT THEENK SHE WOULD USE YOU LIKE THAT AGAIN?!

ANTOINE!
COOL IT!

NO, HE'S RIGHT.



WE'VE ALL MADE OUR MISTAKES AND HAVE MISSED CHANCES. BUT WE CAN'T LOSE SIGHT...

...OF WHO THE REAL ENEMY IS, AND WHO OUR FRIENDS ARE.

THANK YOU, SALLY.

CAN "I'M SORRY" BE A START?

OUI, AND I AM SORRY FOR MY FROSTING-NESS!

I WAS ABOUT TO SAY. REMEMBER YOUR OLD YELLOW STREAK?

BECAUSE I TOTALLY COULD BRING IT UP RIGHT NOW.

OUI, I RECALL IT ALL TOO WELL.

I KNOW.

I'VE GOT A LIST.

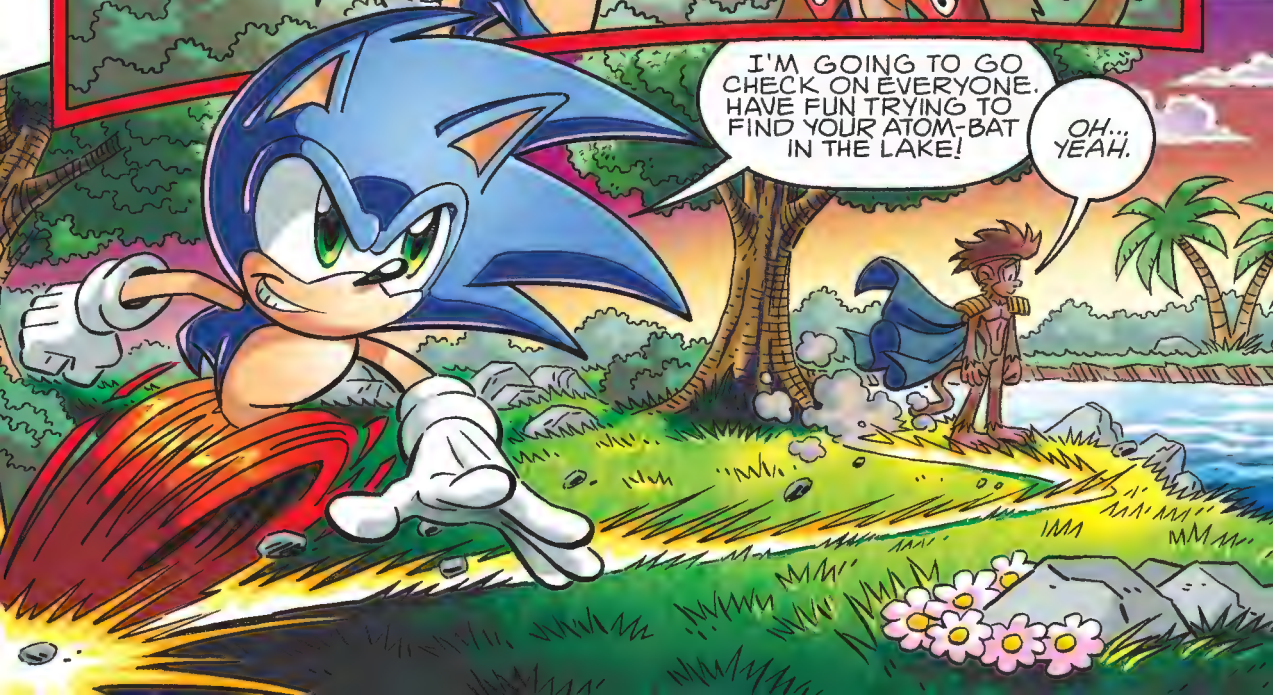
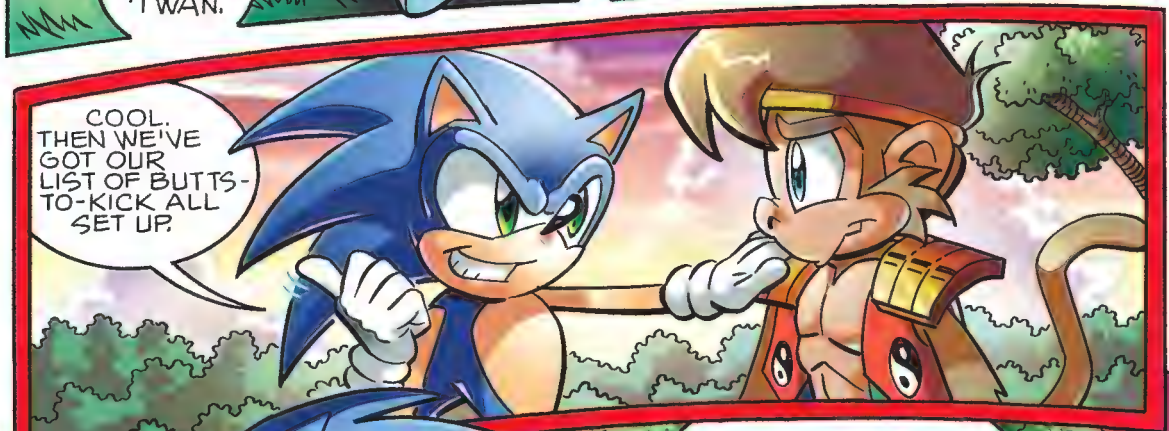
STOP EET.

I'M GOING TO CHECK ON TAILS.

COME ON, KIDS, LET'S FIND ROSIE.



SO...TO MAKE SURE I'VE GOT THIS STRAIGHT--WE'VE GOT THE IRON DOMINION RUNNING THE EGGMAN EMPIRE NOW, THEY'VE GOT THE DARK EGG LEGION, PLUS THE FOUR HOUSES OF NINJA CLANS. AND THEY'VE GOT TWO BASES-- BOTH THE EGGDOME AND THEIR OLD BASE BACK IN THE DRAGON KINGDOM.



EGGDOME--
DETENTION
LEVEL.

IT'S A PITY
YOU'RE SO FAR
GONE, UNCLE.
I'D LIKE YOU TO
APPRECIATE HOW
WELL THINGS ARE
GOING WITHOUT
YOU.

... a proponent of time ...
variable states in normal
conditions ... a product of
mass times energy ...
impossibly fast ... definable
patterns in chaos ... matrix
of squid-to-butter ratio ...
hate that hedgehog ...

SONIC'S
BEEN BEATEN
TWICE IN AS
MANY DAYS. WE
HAVE A SIZABLE
ARMY, EVEN IF
IT ISN'T MADE
OF ROBOTS.

AND I'M TREATED
DECENTLY FOR ONCE!
PRINCELY! I'VE
FOUND LOVE, YOU
DOMINEERING
OAF!

... crystal
ducks in wooden
water ... hate that
hedgehog ... they
always loved Colin
more ... empire
that reaches the
stars ...

... two
plus two
... ten ...
in base-
four ...

OH,
FORGET IT.
NO POINT IN
GLOATING WHEN
YOU CAN'T UNDER-
STAND ME.

... must do away with
Kodos ... no, Crabmeat,
that's my cookie ... more
ore for the Ultimate
Annihilator ... hate that
hedgehog ... **CELL BLOCK
OVERRIDE AUTHORITY
EPSILON-GAMMA-
GAMMA** ... want to ride
the pasha ... tastes like
clucky ...



CLICK

*A TRAGEDY HAS BEEN REVEALED,
AND THE NEXT TERROR RELEASED!
WILL THIS BE **DOCTOR ROBOTNIK'S
RETURN?***

*COME BACK NEXT TIME FOR THE
BEGINNING OF...*

"ON THE RUN!"



ANGEL ISLAND-
SHRINE ISLE...



SO THIS IS
IT? YOU REALLY
HAVE BETRAYED
THE CHAOTIX.
YOU REALLY
HAVE JOINED
THE IRON QUEEN
AND ALL THOSE
OTHER NINJA
...THINGS...

Friend In Deed **PART TWO**

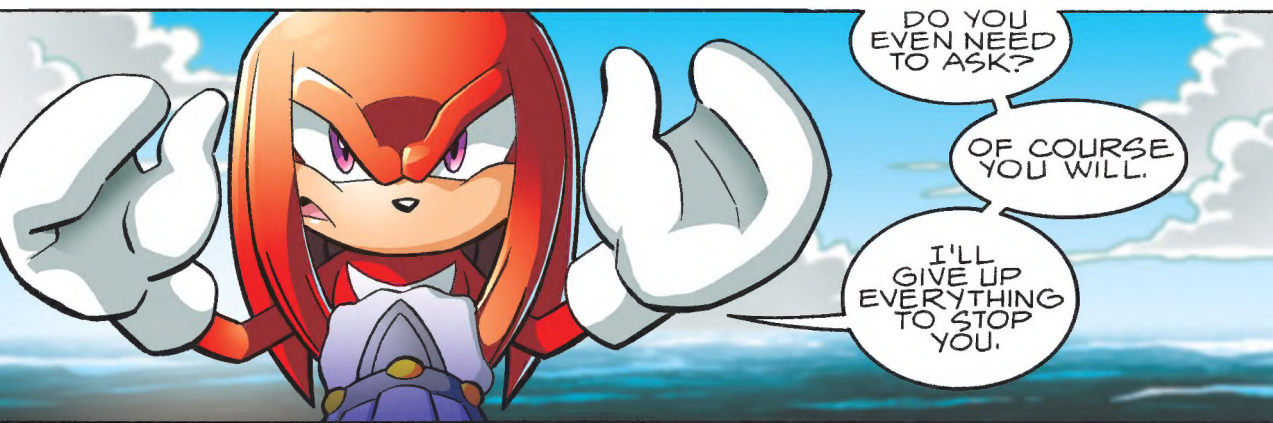
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YOU'D REALLY STEAL THE MASTER EMERALD. YOU'D REALLY GIVE HER THAT MUCH POWER AND DROP THIS ENTIRE ISLAND INTO THE OCEAN. YOU'D REALLY DO THAT?



... I WOULD HAVE TO DO THIS, RIGHT? I'D HAVE TO DESTROY YOU BEFORE YOU WOULD LET ME TAKE THE MASTER EMERALD?

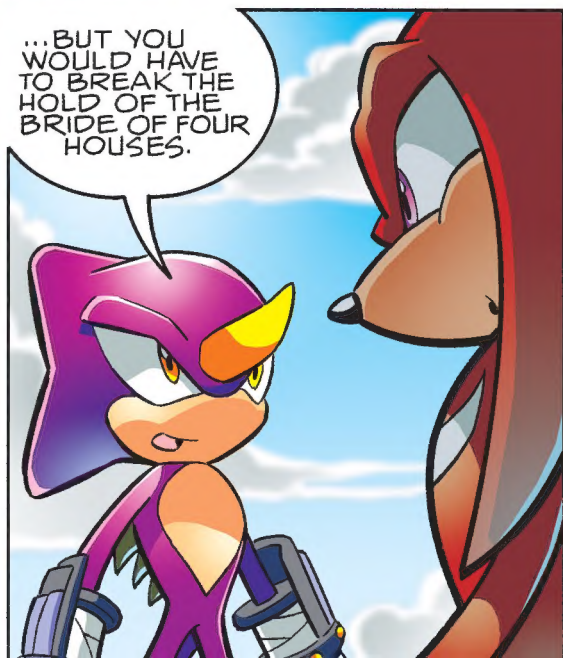
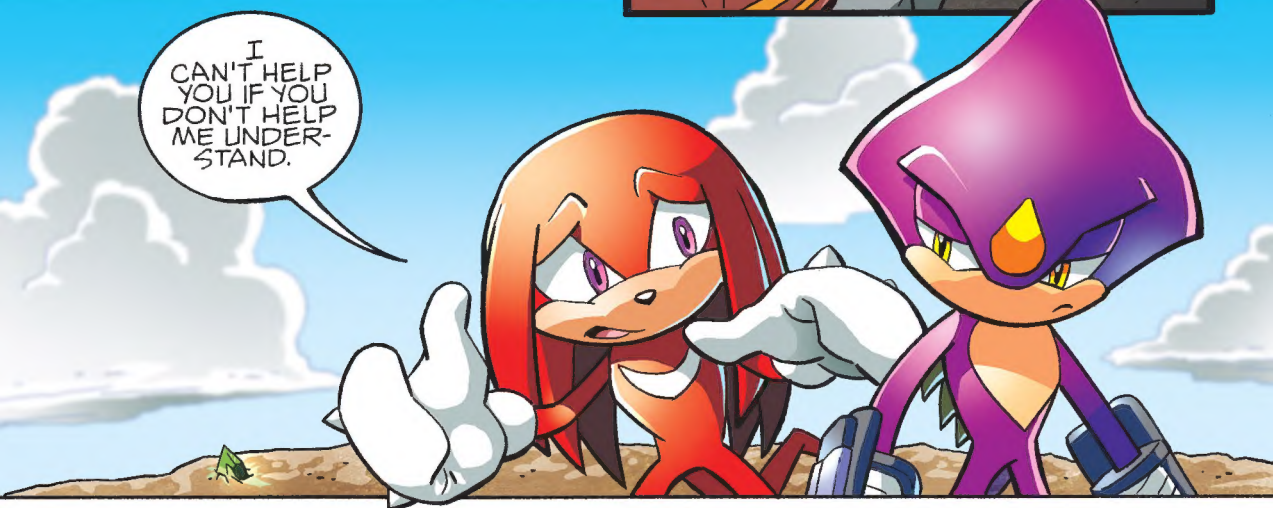
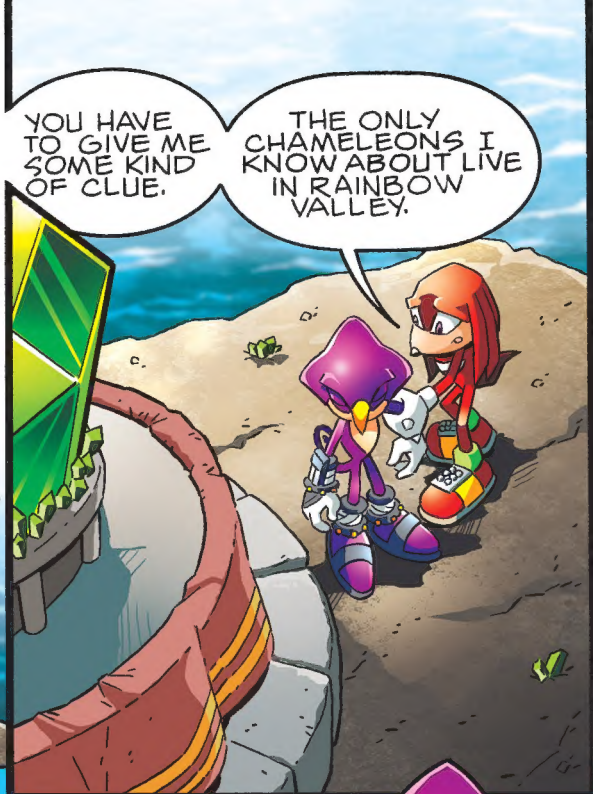


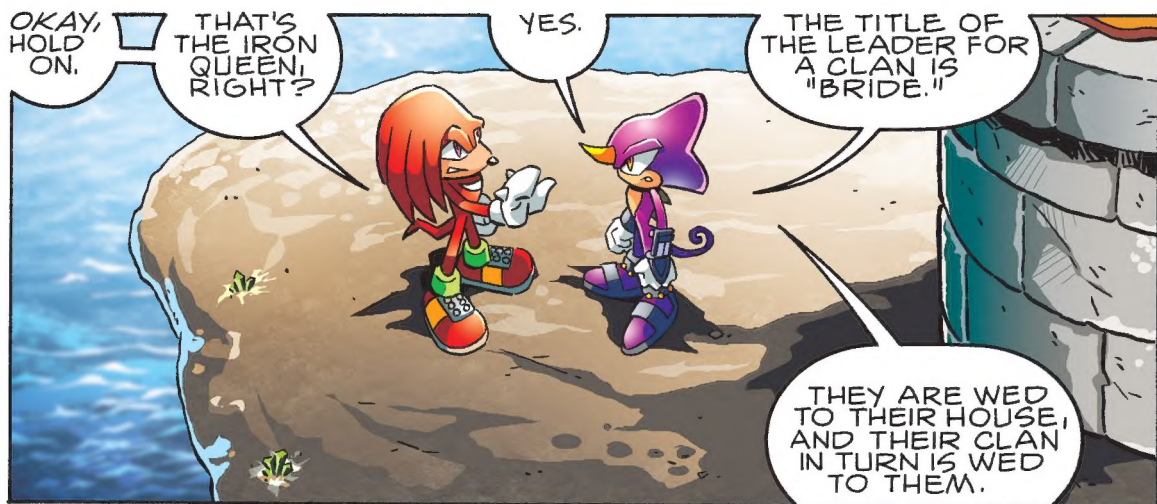
DO YOU EVEN NEED TO ASK?

OF COURSE YOU WILL.

I'LL GIVE UP EVERYTHING TO STOP YOU.







OKAY... SO BRIDES ARE THE BOSSES. AND IF THE IRON QUEEN IS THE "BRIDE OF FOUR HOUSES," SHE'S THE BOSS OF THE FOUR CLANS?

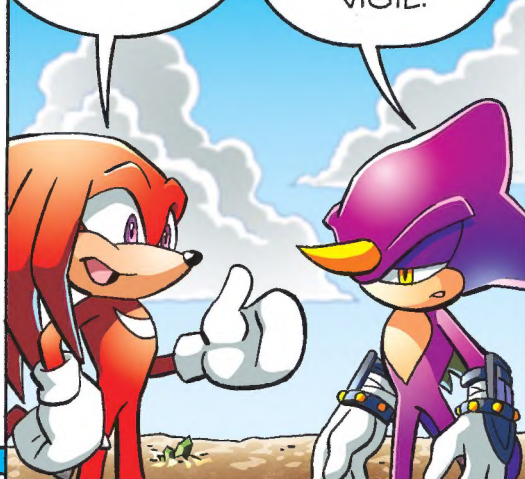
EXACTLY.

ALL OF THEM MORTAL ENEMIES, BUT NOW BOUND TO HER WILL.

OKAY, I'VE GOT IT. THEN ALL WE HAVE TO DO IS GET THEM TO BREAK AWAY, AND YOU CAN DO WHATEVER YOU WANT AGAIN, RIGHT?

NO.

THEN I WOULD ONLY SERVE THE SHINOBI CLAN AND THE BRIDE OF CONSTANT VIGIL.



HUH...?

AND LIGHTNING LYNX?

FORMER EXILE FROM THE RAIJU CLAN. HIS BRIDE OF THE CONQUERING STORM SERVES THE IRON QUEEN IN NEW MEGAOPOLIS.

JUST... WATCH OUT.

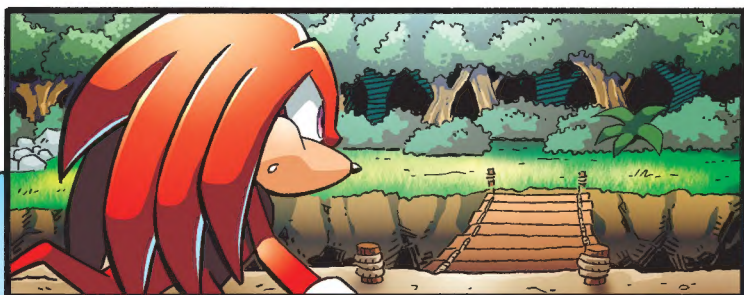
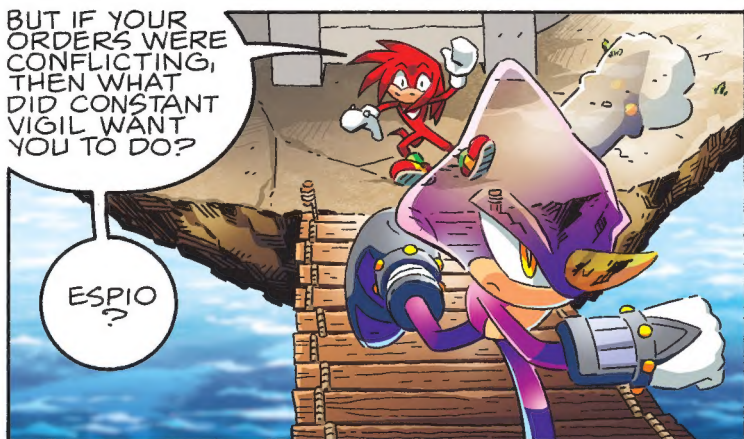
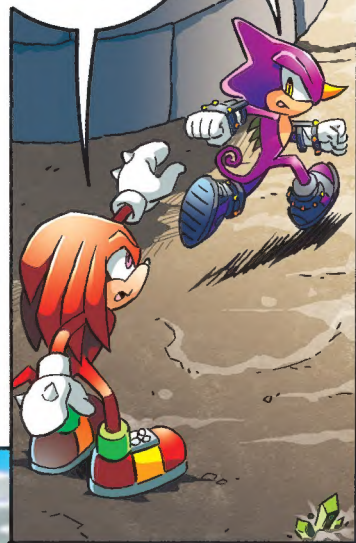


WAIT! I'M
GETTING ALL
TURNED
AROUND
AGAIN.
WHAT ARE
THE OTHER
CLANS?

I'VE
SAID
TOO
MUCH.

BUT IF YOUR
ORDERS WERE
CONFLICTING,
THEN WHAT
DID CONSTANT
VIGIL WANT
YOU TO DO?

ESPIO
?



GOOD
LUCK OUT
THERE, MY
FRIEND.

AND BE
CAREFUL.

**WITH NEW ANSWERS COME
NEW MYSTERIES!
NEXT, WE'LL TAKE A WALK
ON THE DARK SIDE IN
"HEIR APPARENT!"
UNTIL THEN, DON'T MISS
THE SONIC ARCHIVES, SONIC
SELECT, AND THE BRAND NEW
SONIC UNIVERSE!**

